

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

MISC. DOCKET NO. 99- 9194

VOLUNTARY RESIGNATION OF ATTORNEY

ORDER

The Court considered the Affidavit of Voluntary Resignation of:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>BAR NUMBER</u>	<u>RESIDENCE</u>
Stephen R. Sulentic	19470950	Pittsburg, Pennsylvania

and the Certification of the General Counsel of the State Bar of Texas and concludes it is legally sufficient. Further, the Court has been advised that the resignation is not tendered in lieu of disciplinary action. Consequently, the Court determines that the law license and Bar Card Number of the attorney should be canceled and that the attorney should be dropped from the list of persons licensed to practice law in Texas.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

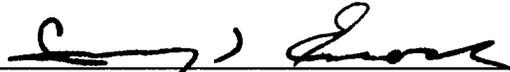
October 21, 1999
Date



Thomas R. Phillips, Chief Justice



Nathan L. Hecht, Justice



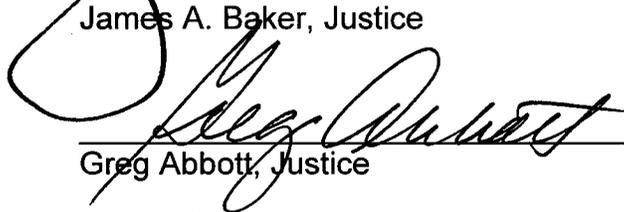
Craig T. Enoch, Justice



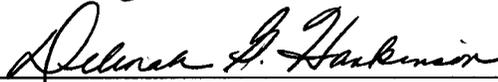
Priscilla R. Owen, Justice



James A. Baker, Justice



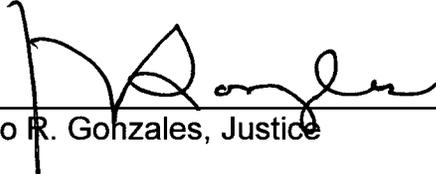
Greg Abbott, Justice



Deborah G. Hankinson, Justice



Harriet O'Neill, Justice



Alberto R. Gonzales, Justice

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS
CERTIFICATION OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL
OF THE STATE BAR OF TEXAS
REGARDING

STEPHEN R. SULENTIC
19470950

TO THE HONORABLE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS:

I, Dawn Miller, First Assistant General Counsel of the State Bar of Texas, in accordance with the State Bar Rules, Art. III, Section 6(B), hereby certify that there is currently no disciplinary action pending against **Stephen R. Sulentic**, nor is **Stephen R. Sulentic** the subject of an investigation for professional misconduct at this time.

Respectfully submitted,



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First Assistant General Counsel

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19 August 1999

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State Bar of Texas
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RE: Voluntary resignation from the State Bar of Texas

Dear Ms. Stacey,

In compliance with the letter dated July 1, 1999 which you sent to me concerning the requirements for voluntary resignation, enclosed is a sworn and notarized affidavit setting forth the required statements of fact to effect this resignation. Also enclosed is my Bar Card (inactive), which is the only evidence remaining in my possession of my affiliation with the State Bar of Texas.

Thank you for your assistance in finalizing this task. If you have any questions or need any additional information, please contact me.

Very truly yours,



Stephen R. Sulentic
Attorney at Law
Pa. I. D. No. 75834



STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA §
COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY §

AFFIDAVIT

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Stephen R. Sulentic, and after being by me first duly sworn, upon his oath deposes and says:

1. I was licensed to practice law by the State Bar of Texas on May 4, 1990. I was assigned State Bar of Texas Number 19470950. I practiced in Texas until approximately November 30, 1995. I desire to voluntarily resign from the State Bar of Texas at this time.

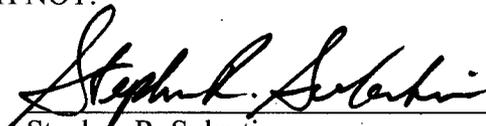
2. My family and I moved to Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania on or about August 1, 1995, and I was licensed to practice law in Pennsylvania on September 7, 1995 under Pa. I.D. No. 75834. Since no later than December 1, 1995, I have not practiced law in Texas or provided legal representation under my Texas law license.

3. I have been on "inactive" status with the Texas State Bar since approximately June 1, 1996. As of this date, I continue to live in and practice law in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania under my Pennsylvania attorney's license.

4. **My purpose in resigning is not to avoid disciplinary action, and I have no knowledge of any unresolved allegations of professional misconduct against me.**

5. My Texas law license was destroyed and disposed of during transit to Pennsylvania in 1995. The only Bar Card, Law License, and/or Certificate issued to me by the Supreme Court of Texas and currently in my possession is my State Bar of Texas "Inactive Member" Card, which is enclosed with this affidavit. Therefore, **I have surrendered all Bar Cards, all Law Licenses, and all certificates issued to me by the Supreme Court of Texas.**

FURTHER AFFIANT SAITH NOT.


Stephen R. Sulentic

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED to before me the undersigned authority this 19th day of August, 1999, do certify which witness my hand and seal of office.


Notary Public in and for the
State of Pennsylvania

WALLIS A. WIRTH
Printed Name of Notary

My Commission Expires: 10/19/02

Notarial Seal
Wallis A. Wirth, Notary Public
Pittsburgh, Allegheny County
My Commission Expires Oct. 19, 2002
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

